

Weekly Coal Production

Energy Information Administration
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Production for Week Ended:
January 4, 1986



Highlights

U.S. coal production in the week ended January 4, 1986, as estimated by the Energy Information Administration, totaled 12.30 million short tons (bituminous coal and lignite, 12.25 million short tons; Pennsylvania anthracite, .05 million short tons). This was 11.0 percent higher than the previous week, and was 22.2 percent higher than production in the corresponding week of 1985.

Preliminary U.S. coal production for 1985 was estimated by the Energy Information Administration at 886.10 million short tons, 1.1 percent below the 895.92 million short tons produced in 1984. Revised monthly coal production figures for 1985 will be published in this report during January.

The methodology used to make weekly estimates of coal production was last published in the Weekly Coal Production (DOE/EIA-0218(84/40)).

Figure 1. Coal Production

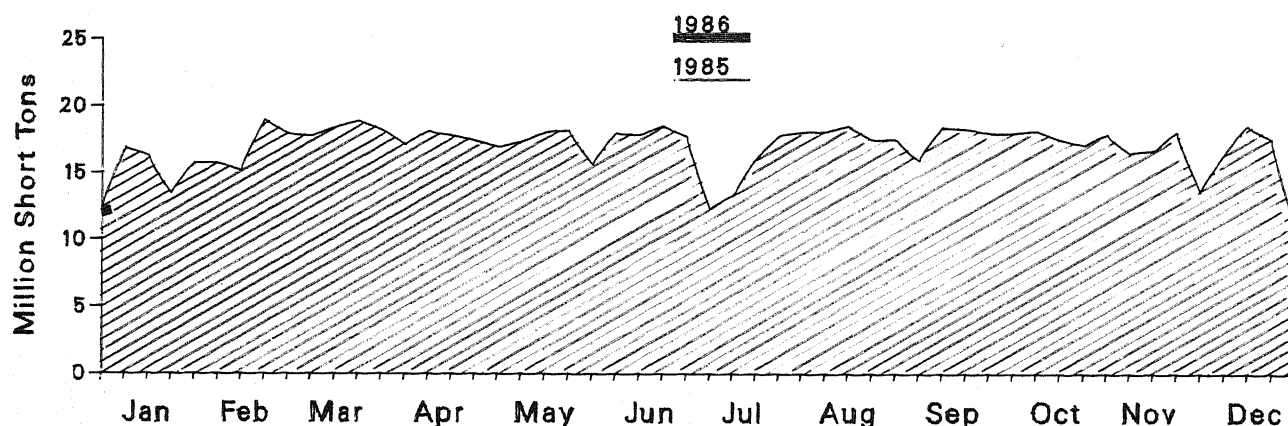


Table 1. Coal Production

Production and Carloadings	Week Ended			Year to Date Ended		
	01/04/86	12/28/85	01/05/85	01/04/86	01/05/85	Percent Change
Production (Thousand Short Tons)						
Bituminous ^{1/} and Lignite.	12,249	11,022	10,021	5,511	10,021	-45.0
Pennsylvania Anthracite..	50	54	42	23	42	-45.6
U.S. Total.....	12,299	11,076	10,062	5,534	10,062	-45.0
Railroad Cars Loaded.....	80,242	72,260	63,376	80,242	63,376	

^{1/} Includes subbituminous coal.

Notes: 1985 and 1986 data are preliminary. Total may not equal sum of components because of independent rounding.

Sources: Association of American Railroads, Transportation Division, Weekly Statement CS-54A; Energy Information Administration, Form EIA-6, "Coal Distribution Report"; and State mining agency coal production reports.

Table 2. Coal Production by State
(Thousand Short Tons)

Region and State	Week Ended		
	01/04/86	12/28/85	01/05/85
Bituminous Coal^{1/} and Lignite			
East of the Mississippi.....	7,102	6,016	5,443
Alabama.....	341	237	369
Illinois.....	1,259	1,206	758
Indiana.....	360	440	379
Kentucky.....	2,078	1,504	1,349
Kentucky, Eastern.....	1,583	1,172	981
Kentucky, Western.....	495	332	369
Maryland.....	9	21	32
Ohio.....	383	409	308
Pennsylvania Bituminous.....	678	641	611
Tennessee.....	109	73	99
Virginia.....	635	368	486
West Virginia.....	1,251	1,119	1,051
West of the Mississippi.....	5,146	5,006	4,578
Alaska.....	22	20	16
Arizona.....	143	149	134
Arkansas.....	1	1	2
Colorado.....	218	178	193
Iowa.....	7	6	7
Kansas.....	10	9	11
Louisiana.....	43	25	-
Missouri.....	85	86	39
Montana.....	554	593	538
New Mexico.....	320	160	267
North Dakota.....	448	480	438
Oklahoma.....	72	65	50
Texas.....	667	524	466
Utah.....	173	155	131
Washington.....	59	55	49
Wyoming.....	2,324	2,500	2,237
Bituminous ^{1/} and Lignite Total...	12,249	11,022	10,021
Pennsylvania Anthracite.....	50	54	42
U.S. Total.....	12,299	11,076	10,062

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